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This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 21, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Amendment to the Drawing begins on page 10 of this document, and includes an attached replacement drawing sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: